



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **OGAWA, Shinji et al.**

Group Art Unit: **1756**

Serial No.: **10/030,185**

Examiner: **Shean Chiu WU**

Filed: **February 1, 2002**

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For. **FUSED RING COMPOSITION**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: November 17, 2004

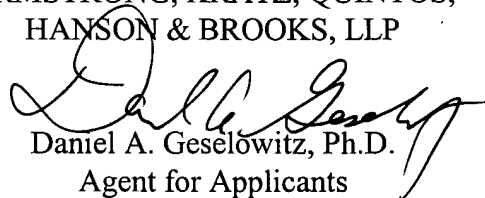
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2004 for three months, from May 19, 2004 to November 19, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$550.00 (calculated as \$980.00 minus \$430.00 for the second month already paid on October 19, 2004) to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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